

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: BAKIS et al.

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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR  
EXPRESSIVE TEXT-TO-SPEECH

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Sir:

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Total Claims	41	- 40	1	\$ 50.00	\$50.00
Indep. Claims	6	- 6	0	\$ 210.00	\$ 0.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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